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Re: Ex Parte Notification

CC Docket No. 02-6 CC Docket No. 96-45 CC Docket No. 97-21 File No. SLD-245592

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of the State of North Dakota, Information Technology Department, this is to advise the Commission that the undersigned met with Jessica Rosenworcel, Competition and Universal Service Legal Advisor to Commissioner Michael J. Copps, on June 10, 2004, to review the legal issues raised in the State's pending Petition for Reconsideration of the Commission's Order, FCC 03-240, released October 21, 2003, in the above-referenced matter. A summary of the Petition for Reconsideration summarizing the issues discussed has been previously filed with the Commission in this proceeding.

Should there be any questions with respect to this presentation, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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